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RE: FILING OF MISSING PARTS  
US Patent Application No. 10/045,150  
"SURFACE TREATMENT FOR PRINTING APPLICATIONS USING WATER-BASED  
INK"  
Our File: 1268

Dear Sir,

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts in the subject application, mailed on 12 February 2002, we hereby submit the following for filing:

1. Declaration
2. A copy of the Missing Parts Notice
3. Substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 (margins adjusted). No new matter has been added.
4. A credit card payment in the amount of US \$516.00 to cover the basic filing fee (\$370.00), additional claims (\$81.00) and late filing fee (\$65.00)

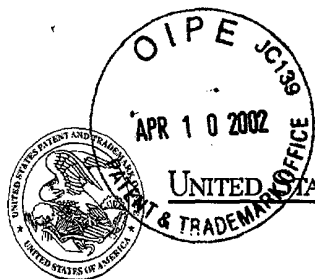
Please send a formal filing receipt as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$81.
  - \$81 for 9 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 516.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
  - Papers contain improper margins. *Each sheet must have a left margin of at least 2.5 cm (1") and top, bottom and right margins of at least 2.0 cm (3/4")*

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